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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION TRANSMITTAL LETTER		Docket No.: 6270P0130US	
Serial No.:	10/041,832	Filing Date:	October 19, 2001
Group Art Unit:	3618	Examiner:	Christopher Bottorf
Applicant(s): Robert Dale Haun			
Invention: Hinge Assembly For Utility Vehicle Hood			

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Transmitted herewith is Amendment B After Final in response to the office communication dated December 31, 2003 in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
- Petition for a _____ - month extension of time and the separate fee therefor is enclosed.

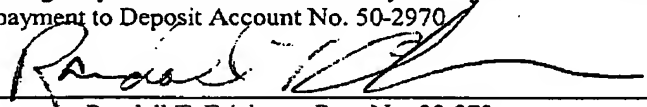
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TOTAL 14	MINUS - 20	= 0	x \$ 9.00 =	\$	x \$ 18.00 =	\$
INDEPENDENT 5	MINUS - 3	= 2	x \$43.00 =	\$	x \$ 86.00 =	\$172.00
First presentation of multiple dependent claim			+ \$145.00 =	\$	+ \$290.00 =	\$
Total Fee				\$		\$172.00

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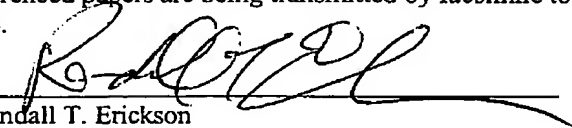

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